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VIA ECF

Hon. Loretta A. Preska
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: *United States v. Donziger*, 19 Cr. 561 (LAP); 11 Civ. 691 (LAK)

Dear Judge Preska:

We write on behalf of the United States pursuant to the Court's November 7, 2020 order directing the parties to "confer and inform the Court no later than December 10 whether they will be making opening statements or have any other procedural issues." Dkt. 209. The special prosecutors (1) intend to make an opening statement at the start of the January 19, 2021 trial, and (2) have no procedural issues to raise at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

_____/s/_____
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of the United States*